MYSORE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Thursday, 16th January 1969

The House met in the Assembly Chamber, Vidhana Soudha at Twelve of the Clock.

MR. SPEAKER (SRI S. D. KOTHAVALE) in the Chair.

STARRED QUESTIONS

(to which oral answers were given)

Kankumbi-Chorla Road

9. Sri N. B. SIRDESAI (Khanapur).—

Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the total amount spent on Kankumbi-Chorla Road work in Khanapur Taluk in 1967 and 1968 ;

(*b*) whether the road work is commensurate with the amount spent ?

Sri K. LAKKAPPA (Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) Year	Amount
1966-67	Rs. 22,981
1967 68	Rs. 5,284

(*b*) Yes.

Sri N. B. SIRDESAI.—May I know whether the work was entrusted to the P.W.D. contractor or it was executed by the departmental hands?

Sri K. LAKKAPPA.—Formerly it was only a rural communication road. When the previous Minister for Public Works happened to visit the spot and when he felt that there is necessity to take over the road to the Public Works Department he gave instructions to the concerned Executive Engineer and asked him to take it over and do the work. Accordingly the work is going on.

Sri N. B. SIRDESAI.—May I know the nature and extent of the work turned out in 1966-67 and 1967-68 ?

Sri K. LAKKAPPA.—They are printed in the answers and the hon. Member can look into them.

Sri N. B. SIRDESAI.—May I know when the work will be over ?

Sri K. LAKKAPPA.—It is a long bit of road of about 11 milles. We have taken over several roads in the State to the Public Works Department the total extent being nearly 8 to 9 thousand miles. All these 9,000 miles, we cannot do in a year or two. On a phased programme we are going to finish the work.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question 15. Hon. Member Sri R. Nagan Gouda is absent. Next question No. 23 by Sri T. K. Gangi Reddi.

Old Age Pension

23. Sri T. K. GANGI REDDI (Chintamani).—

Will the Minister for Finance, Planning and Youth Welfare be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of persons getting old age pension during 1968-69 in the State ;

(*b*) the number of persons getting this pension in each Taluk of Kolar District ;

(*c*) the number of applications received requesting to grant this pension ?

Sri RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE (Minister for Finance, Planning and Youth Welfare).—

(*a*) 3,284 persons are getting old age pension.

(*b*) the number of persions as noted below are getting old age pension in each Taluk of Kolar District.

1.	Bagepalli	...	22
2.	Bangarpet	...	19
3.	Chikkaballapur	...	33
4.	Chinthamani	...	36
5.	Gowribidanur	...	43
6.	Gudibanda	...	6
7.	Kolar	...	16
8.	Malur	...	12
9.	Mulabagal	...	10
10.	Sidlaghatta	...	3
11.	Srinivasapura	...	9

(*c*) 4,584 applications have been received till 30-10-1968. Out of them, 266 applications have been received from Kolar District.